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Application of

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REPRODUCING APPARATUS :

AND NEAR-FIELD

INFORMATION REPRODUCING

METHOD (as amended) : Docket No. S004-4005

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RESPONSE

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2007, applicants amend their application as follows:

ADDITIONAL FEES:

No additional fees are believed required in connection with this response; however, should it be determined that a fee is due, authorization is hereby given to charge any such fee to our Deposit Account No. 01-0268.

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IN THE TITLE:

The previously submitted title of the invention has been amended as follows:

NEAR-FIELD INFORMATION REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND NEAR-FIELD INFORMATION REPRODUCING METHOD